

Recreation & Community Services

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Dear Camp Summer Time Parents/Guardians;

Welcome to a fun and safe summer at Middletown Recreation! The office staff and our summer recreational staff are looking forward to meeting your child and making their experience a memorable one; filled with good times, renewing old friendships and making new ones. We will be located at **Crystal Lake**. If you are dropping your child off please walk them into the camp building and sign him/her off before leaving. We offer seven weeks of summer camp starting Monday June 20th and ending on Friday, August 5th.

There is no camp on Monday, July 4th, 2016.

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself.

My name is Jill Garrity and I will be the director of Camp Summer Time this year. I am a Kindergarten teacher at Snow School here in Middletown. I am excited to see some familiar faces this summer. © Our assistant director this summer will be Brian Martin. We are ready to start another fun summer with the Recreation department.

Here is some useful information about camp this summer:

Weekly Schedule:

All schedules are available on line at http://www.cityofmiddletown.com/content/117/123/159/2202/default.aspx

Choose a category from drop down table

- ~ Summer Youth Camp Information
- ~ then your child's camp.

Parent Transportation:

- Please do not drop off participants to camp before 8:55 a.m. and please pick them up by 3:00 p.m. If anyone else is going to pick your child up that is not on the registration form we must have a signed note indicating who is picking up your child; when that individual comes to pick up your child they must present a photo I.D. There will be a sign-in and sign-out sheet for all parent pick-ups that needs to be signed daily when dropping off and picking up your child.

Lunches and Snacks:

This year lunch and snack will be provided daily from Connecticut Renewal Team (CRT). You will need to supply drinks, healthy snacks and lunch, if your child does not like what will be provided from CRT daily. Please keep in mind that we cannot warm up your child's meals. Campers will have a designated time to have snack in the morning. Lunches will be refrigerated if we are at camp, but not for all field trips so please pack accordingly on those days. Campers may bring their own water bottles if they would like, please write his/her name on it if it is not a disposable bottle. We do not provide any drinks other than cold water.

Field Trips:

 Your child will be provided with a Recreation T-Shirt that MUST be worn on field trip days only. This is to ensure that our campers are easily identifiable in crowded off-site areas. We travel off-site once a week for our field trips.

Swimming:

- We swim daily both in the morning and the afternoon if weather permits. In the morning campers have one half our of swim lessons by age level with certified life guards. The campers will be swim tested to see what level of swimmer they are. Campers should come to camp with a towel, bathing suit, sunscreen, a sweat shirt and a change of clothes daily.
- Afternoon swimming is the whole camp swimming in their designated level.
 There are two swim levels, Pink and Purple. Swim tests will happen regularly throughout the summer so that the campers can move up if they are ready to.
- There are sand toys provided by camp. No water toys are allowed so those may not come to camp.
- Please bring a labeled bottle of sunscreen!

Personal Items:

Please provide a labeled book bag for your child to bring to camp every day. No electronics, games, cards or money should be brought to camp. We are not responsible for any lost or stolen items. We have a lost and found area at camp.

Clothing:

- During the day, your child will be participating in many fun group activities both inside and outside. Comfortable, play clothes are recommended.
- Campers will also take hikes from time to time, so sneakers must be worn to camp daily.

<u>Rules</u>:

- Have fun!
- Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated.
- Respect yourself, other campers and all staff.
- Keep your hands, feet, objects and belongings to yourselves.
- Treat others as you want to be treated.
- No swearing, put-downs or mean behavior.

Consequences:

- Verbal warning and/or a phone call home.
- Sit out of an activity
- If a child misbehaves or endangers him/herself or others he/she will receive a disciplinary action form that will be sent home for a parent's signature. The child will also be suspended from camp for one day. A signed copy of the disciplinary action form must be returned to camp in order for your child to attend camp. If a child receives three write-ups he/she will be suspended from camp for the duration of the summer. If any participant displays unsafe behavior at camp, they may be suspended from off-site activities. A child may be suspended immediately for a serious behavior incident without a refund.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call me on my City cell phone at 860.883.3890. Thank you for sending your child to Middletown Recreation and Community Services Camp. We are all committed to providing your child with a fun, safe camp experience this summer! Please remember all policies and regulations are put into place to ensure the safety of your child. Our experienced staff works hard to provide your children with an unforgettable summer. I'm looking forward to meeting you!

Sincerely, Jill Garrity ⊕ Summer Time Camp Director 860-883-3890



@ Middletown Rec

Come join us for our

Firework Celebration downtown

Friday, July 1, 2016



There is <u>no camp</u> on Monday, July 4th.

Happy Fourth of July!!!

Participant Behavior Rules

Please review the "Participant's Behavior Rules" with your child so they are familiar with the program's expectations prior to arrival. Please be advised that if your child does not comply with these rules, he/she may be asked to leave and no refunds will be provided.

In order to ensure the safety of our participants and to provide the most rewarding and enjoyable recreation experience we can, we must insist on a standard of behavior that includes the following:

- Children must respect staff, other participants and equipment, at all times.
- Children must practice fair play, honesty, and good sportsmanship.
- Children must be able to cooperate in a large group setting.
- ⇒ Children must follow instructions and rules.
- ⇒ Children must be aware of obvious dangers (roads, water, etc.).
- ⇒ Children must be able to interact positively with fellow participants and staff.
- Children must be able to use the bathroom independently.
- ⇒ Children must stay with their group and listen to the staff members.

The following will not be allowed and will be grounds for dismissal:

- Inappropriate, disrespectful, uncooperative or disruptive behavior
- Abusive language and inappropriate gestures
- Injuring another participant, staff or person through an inappropriate action
- Fighting or putting your hands on any other person in a harmful or inappropriate way
- Throwing things in anger
- Biting, spitting on others, equipment or property
- Stealing or misuse of property
- . Bringing eigarettes, alcohol, drugs, firearms, knives or weapons of any sort on the bus or to camp
- Any other behavior that the City of Middletown deems disruptive to its programs or compromises
 the safety of others

We understand that Parents/Guardians and participant (s) will be held responsible for participant (s) actions at rec programs. We understand that part of the recreation experience involves activities and interactions that may be new to my child, and that they come with certain risks. I have instructed my child on the importance of abiding by the rules. My child and I both agree that he or she is familiar with these rules and will obey them. Failure to adhere to these rules may result in immediate dismissal from a recreation program with no refund. ** By signing the registration

forms on page 10 and/or 37 you acknowledge these rules.**

LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH JUNE-SEPTEMBER FREEOUTDOOR MOVIE

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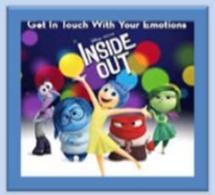
ARRIVE 30 MINUTES BEFORE SUNSET - MOVIE STARTS ATSURISET

JUNE 24 SEABISCUIT JULY 29 INSIDE OUT

AUGUST 26 ZOOTOPIA SEPTEMBER 30 HOCUS POCUS

PLEASE BRING A CHAIR OR A BLANKETWE WILL PROVIDE THE POPCORN











CAMP SUMMER TIME

DURING THE SUMMER OUR PARTICIPANTS RAISE MONEY FOR VARIOUS NON-PROFITS. WE HAVE RAISED MONEY FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS AND AMAZING GRACE FOOD PANTRY. THIS YEAR WE WOULD LIKE TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE TREES OF HONOR, RIGHT HERE IN MIDDLETOWN. PLEASE CONTRIBUTE TO YOUR CAMPS COIN JAR, AS YOU WISH. THANKS VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT. WE WILL COLLECT MONEY UNTIL THURSDAY AUGUST 4TH AND THEN ANNOUNCE THE WINNING CAMP ON FRIDAY AUGUST 5TH.

The Mission is to Honor

Connecticut Trees of Honor Memorial Founder, Sue Martucci and Gold Star Mom, Diane DeLuzio share with you the inspiration behind the Memorial, the loss of a Fallen Hero son and the importance of honoring all of our Fallen Heroes... in Connecticut and across the Nation.

Sacrifice, Service and Honor in Connecticut

Sixty-five Fallen Heroes from Connecticut have now made the Supreme Sacrifice in the defense of the Nation, our liberties and the liberties of many in other lands.

And now, all of Connecticut remembers and honors them with the Connecticut Trees of Honor Memorial. And you and your family can be part of honoring with us. Their names and their sacrifice must never be forgotten. That is our singular mission.

Located in Middletown, CT, the Connecticut Trees of Honor Memorial will be distinguished by its unique and contemplative "living trees" design and evocative memorial sculptures. It will be a place to reflect, to learn and to honor Connecticut's Veterans of wars past and to the Fallen Heroes of Afghanistan and Iraq, in particular. With your help, The Memorial will stand as a testament to them for all they have given.

CAMP SUMMER TIME ~ Week One

Day/Date	<u>Activity</u>	What to Bring
Monday 6/20 We will be collecting spare change for Trees of Honor; the camp with the most money collected, will have an ice cream party on Friday, August 5 ^{th!}	1st Day of Camp!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Tuesday 6/21	Field Trip: Air Museum Bus at 9:30 a.m. New England Aut Sussemi Wear your camp field trip shirt!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Wednesday 6/22	Kite Day Bring a kite to fly Make a kite	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 6/23	Cinco De Mayo Cinco De Mayo!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Friday 6/24	Carnival Day	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

CAMP SUMMER TIME ~ Week Two

Day/Date	<u>Activity</u>	What to Bring
Monday 6/27 We will be collecting spare change for Trees of Honor; the camp with the most money collected will have an ice cream party on Friday, August 5 ^{thl}	Disney Day	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Tuesday 6/28	Field Trip: Ct Science Center Bus at 9:15 a.m. Wear your camp field trip shirt!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Wednesday 6/29	70's Groovy Day Tye -Dye T-Shirts Bring a plain White t-shirt to tye-dye!!!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 6/30	Game show Day! GAME SHGW Zumba!!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Friday 7/1	Wear Red, White and Blue today!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

CAMP SUMMER TIME ~ Week Three

Day/Date	Activity	What to Bring
Happy 4 th of July!!	NO CAMP Slappy 4TH of JULY	 Have a safe holiday! Come and enjoy the fireworks celebration downtown Friday July 1st!
Tuesday 7/5	Field Trip:Metro Movies Bus T.B.D. Wear your camp field trip shirt!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Wednesday 7/6	Country Western Day	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 7/7	Hawaiian Day Dress in Hawaiian gear!	 Snack for your group!! Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Friday 7/8	Hiking Day	 Snack for your group Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

CAMP SUMMER TIME ~ Week Four

Day/Date	<u>Activity</u>	What to Bring
Monday 7/11 We will be collecting spare change for Trees of Honor; the camp with the most money collected will have an ice cream party on Friday, August 5 ^{th!}	Christmas in July! Wear Red & Green	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Tuesday 7/12	Trees of Honor Field Trip: Bowl-o-Rama Bus leaves at 9:15 a.m. Wear your camp field trip shirt!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Wednesday 7/13	Crazy Hat Day! Wear a crazy hat!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 7/14	Field Day and Picnic	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes Please bring chips or food to share!
Friday 7/15	Wear your favorite color Day!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

CAMP SUMMER TIME ~ Week Five

Day/Date	<u>Activity</u>	What to Bring
Monday 7/18 We will be collecting spare change for Trees of Honor; the camp with the most money collected will have an ice cream party on Friday, August 5 ^{th!}	Kickball Tournament	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Tuesday 7/19	Field trip: Essex Steam train Bus at 9:10 a.m. Wear your camp field trip shirt!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Wednesday 7/20	Baseball Tournament	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 7/21	Football Tournament Zumba!!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Friday 7/22	Soccer Tournament	 Snack for your group Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

CAMP SUMMERTIME ~ Week Six

Day/Date	<u>Activity</u>	What to Bring
Monday 7/25 We will be collecting spare change for Trees of Honor; the camp with the most money collected, will have an ice cream party on Friday, August 5 ^{th!}	Face Painting Crazy Hair Day	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes Donation for Plunge
Tuesday 7/26	Field Trip: Bounce U Bus at 9:30 a.m. Wear your camp field trip shirt! Child MUST wear socks!!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Wednesday 7/27	D.E.E.P. (ages 8+) 9:30 am-11:30 am	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 7/28	Alice in Wonderland MHS Show Bus leaves at 9:00 a.m.	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Friday 7/29	Birthday Party!! Ice Cream Sundaes!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

CAMP SUMMERTIME ~ Week Seven

Day/Date	<u>Activity</u>	What to Bring
Monday 8/1 We will be collecting spare change for Trees of Honor; the camp with the most money collected will have an ice cream party on Friday, August 5 ^{thl}	Dress as your favorite counselor!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Tuesday 8/2	Field Trip: T.B.D. Wear your camp field trip shirt!	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
	Water Play Day	
Wednesday 8/3		 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Thursday 8/4	Halloween	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes
Friday 8/5	Last Day of Camp Talent Show T	 Snack Drink Sunscreen Lunch Towel/Bathing Suit Change of clothes

MIDDLETOWN SUMMER 2016

			Load	Next
1	7:58 A.M.	CRNR PALMER FIELD@ AMERICAN LEGION HALL	0	1.31
2	8:02 A.M.	CRNR STACK ST 06457 & GROVE ST 06457	0	0.60
3	8:04 A.M.	CRNR GREEN ST 06457 & DEKOVEN DR	0	1.07
4	8:09 A.M.	CRNR MAPLEWOOD TER 06457 & WALNUT ST 06457	0	0.98
5	8:12 A.M.	ON WILLIAM ST & TRAVERSE SQ-REAR 06457	0	0.50
6	8:14 A.M.	CRNR PINE ST & CHURCH ST 06459	0	0.87
7	8:17 A.M.	PAMEACHA AVE 06457/WILCOX APTS	0	1.55
8	8:24 A.M.	MAYNARD ST/BIELEFIELD SCHOOL	0	1.88
9	8:29 A.M.	CRNR WOODBURY CIR @ MAILBOXES	0	2.29
10	8:36 A.M.	RIDGE RD/ FARM HILL SCHOOL	0	2.26
11	8:44 A.M.	VINAL DRIVEWAY 06457	0	3.79
	8:55 A.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUNNYTIME @ BIELFIELD		
	9:00 A.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUMMERTIME@ CRYSTAL	LK	

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Seq	Time	Stop Description	Load	Next
- '	2:50 P.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUMMERTIME@ CRYSTAL	LK	
	3:08 P.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUNNYTIME @ BIELFIELD		
1	3:19 P.M.	VINAL DRIVEWAY 06457	0	2.36
2	3:27 P.M.	RIDGE RD/ FARM HILL SCHOOL	0	2.25
3	3:34 P.M.	CRNR WOODBURY CIR @ MAILBOXES	0	1.91
4	3:40 P.M.	MAYNARD ST/BIELEFIELD SCHOOL	0	1.55
5	3:46 P.M.	PAMEACHA AVE 06457/WILCOX APTS	0	0.88
6	3:49 P.M.	CRNR PINE ST & CHURCH ST 06459	0	0.50
7	3:51 P.M.	ON WILLIAM ST & TRAVERSE SQ-REAR 06457	0	0.99
8	3:55 P.M.	CRNR MAPLEWOOD TER 06457 & WALNUT ST 06457	0	1.00
9	3:58 P.M.	CRNR GREEN ST 06457 & DEKOVEN DR	0	0.43
10	4:00 P.M.	CRNR STACK ST 06457 & GROVE ST 06457	0	1.31
11	4:04 P.M.	CRNR PALMER FIELD@ AMERICAN LEGION HALL	0	0.00

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1	8:14 A.M.	CRNR PALMER FIELD@ AMERICAN LEGION HALL	0	0.58
2	8:15 A.M.	PLAZA DR LOWER PARKING LOT	0	0.82
3	8:17 A.M.	CRNR ROSE CIR 06457 & NEWFIELD ST 06457	0	1.89
4	8:20 A.M.	LAWRENCE SCHOOL 06457	0	3.57
5	8:24 A.M.	CNR TOWN COLONY DR & WEST LAKE DR (CHESTNI	UTOAPTS)	0.52
6	8:25 A.M.	HIGHLANDS @ BLACK TOP DOORSIDE	0	1.53
7	8:29 A.M.	CRNR BRECHLIN DR 06457 & ATKINS ST 06457	0	0.89
8	8:30 A.M.	CRNR ATKINS ST 06457 & SAWMILL RD 06457	0	2.28
9	8:34 A.M.	MOODY SCHOOL 06457	0	1.92
10	8:38 A.M.	SPENCER SCHOOL DRIVEWAY 06457	0	2.83
11	8:43 A.M.	P & R @ SNOW SCHOOL	0	2.74
	8:49 A.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUNNYTIME @ BIELFIELD		
	9:00 A.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUMMERTIME@ CRYSTAL	. LK	

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	3:00 P.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUMMERTIME@ CRYSTAL	LK	
	3:03 P.M.	2015 PARK & REC DEPT->1977 - P&R SUNNYTIME @ BIELFIELD		
1	3:16 P.M.	P & R @ SNOW SCHOOL	0	2.68
2	3:25 P.M.	SPENCER SCHOOL DRIVEWAY 06457	0	2.00
3	3:34 P.M.	MOODY SCHOOL 06457	0	2.27
4	3:42 P.M.	CRNR ATKINS ST 06457 & SAWMILL RD 06457	0	0.88
5	3:45 P.M.	CRNR BRECHLIN DR 06457 & ATKINS ST 06457	0	1.53
6	3:51 P.M.	HIGHLANDS @ BLACK TOP DOORSIDE	0	0.53
7	3:53 P.M.	CNR TOWN COLONY DR & WEST LAKE DR (CHESTNI	JT0\PTS)	3.56
8	4:02 P.M.	LAWRENCE SCHOOL 06457	0	1.73
9	4:05 P.M.	CRNR ROSE CIR 06457 & NEWFIELD ST 06457	0	0.82
10	4:09 P.M.	PLAZA DR LOWER PARKING LOT	0	0.58
11	4:11 P.M.	CRNR PALMER FIELD@ AMERICAN LEGION HALL	0	0.00